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PATENT APPLICATION
Docket No. 15689.50

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Hiroshi Kawakami, et al.

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
TRAFFIC CONTROL

Examiner: Shick-C. Hom

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT "D"

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated September 16, 2003 (Paper No. 15), Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the pending claims in view of the further remarks herein.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper, although no claims are current amended or added.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.